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SUBJECT: LAMCO NEGOTIATIONS

REF: STATE 233177

FOR STATE/COMMERCE/EXIMBANK

1. EMB QUESTIONS PROPRIETY COMPLIANCE REQUEST CONTAINED REFTEL. TO COMPLY WOULD PLACE EMB IN POSITION OF OFFICIALLY PASSING ON PRIVATE SPECULATION AS TO POSSIBLE EXIMBANK CONTINGENCY PLANS IN CASE LAMCO CONCESSION SHOULD BE CANCELLED. FOR EMB TO TELEPHONE MESSAGE TO POWELL AT NIMBA WOULD BE INDISCREET. TO SEND LETTER WOULD GIVE LAMCO DOCUMENT WHICH, BY INFERENCE, WOULD APPEAR TO BE PROOF THAT SPECULATION AS TO EXIMBANK PLANS FOR ULTIMATUM IS CORRECT. IF SUCH DOCUMENT WERE EVER SHOWN TO GOL IT WOULD SERIOUSLY IMPAIR EMBASSY'S POSITION IN LIBERIA.

2. EMB SEES NO NEED FOR EXIMBANK PREPARE SUCH CONTINGENCY PLAN. EMBOFF HAS BEEN INFORMED BY LAMCO AND BETHLEHEM OFFICIALS AND BY MEMBER LAMCO BOARD OF DIRECTORS THAT CONCESSION RENEGOTIATIONS, THOUGH DIFFICULT, HAVE BEEN AMICABLY CONCLUDED.

3. PLEASE ADVISE.
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